Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Friday 30 Jul 2021 until 23:59 on Saturday 31 Jul 2021

Forecast Issued on Friday 30 Jul 2021 at 03:07

Confidence: There is uncertainty in the amount of hill fog over the next couple of days but confidence is high for an increasingly settled spell of weather over the weekend.

Headline for Friday 30 Jul 2021: Cloudy with a few spells of light rain then showers. Misty on summits at times.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 30 Jul 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Light rain	Heavy rain showers	Light rain showers	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
20%	40%	50%	30%	30%	10%

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Weather: Plenty of cloud expected through the day which may dip below the summits at times as well as bring some patchy rain, most likely through the middle of the day. A little brighter this afternoon with a few heavy showers possible.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 60%.

Visibility: Cloud will fall down to 600m at times through the day to bring mist or fog conditions, but below this visibility will be good, if a little hazy.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	17/22 N	14/19 N	16/24 NW	17/26 NW	15/22 NW	15/22 NW	16/23 NW
300	10/17 N	9/15 N	10/18 NW	11/20 NW	10/17 NW	8/15 NW	9/16 NW
Valley	9/17 N	8/15 N	9/18 NW	10/19 NW	8/16 NW	7/14 NW	8/15 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	10/6	10/8	12/9	13/10	12/9	11/8	10/7
300	12/10	13/12	15/14	16/14	15/13	13/12	12/11
Valley	13/12	15/13	16/15	17/16	16/15	14/14	13/12
Freezing Level*	2400m	2400m	2500m	2500m	2600m	2600m	2500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Be aware of poor visibility on summits at times.

Forecast for Saturday 31 Jul 2021

Weather: Thick cloud will shroud the summits through morning and may bring some patchy drizzle but this will clear southwards into the afternoon to leave the rest of the day bright along with some sunshine. A dry evening will follow.

Maximum wind: Northwest 15-20mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 20% rising to 90%.

Visibility: Extensive cloud above around 500m will gradually lift by afternoon with very little low level cloud through the rest of the day. Some uncertainty in the timing of this, however.

Temperature: **Valleys:** 13C rising 17-19C.
At 700m: 10-12C.
Freezing level: Well above summits.

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